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## INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 4, 2001

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FROM: Tom Scott, D&D Program Office, Building 130, X2093

SUBJECT: **MINUTES OF THE INTERNAL/EXTERNAL SCOPING MEETING –  
BUILDING 709 COOLING TOWER, SUPPORT STRUCTURES AND  
FACILITIES – MARCH 29, 2001**

The scoping meeting was held to review previous RLC characterization data and scope of the Pre-demolition Survey, and to discuss the overall scope of the 709 Cooling Tower project. This project includes the 709 Cooling Tower and support structures.

- A list of meeting attendees was generated. Attendees included Edd Kray, CDPHE; Mark Hickman, 709 Project Manager; Richard Bloom, 707 Closure Project; Tom Scott, Gerry Kelly and Dave Barnes, D&D Program Office; and Annette Primrose, ER Program. Greg Nishimoto, DOE, was also in attendance.
- Mark Hickman distributed the meeting agenda, which included the 707 Closure Project organization and a drawing of the cooling tower and support structures. Mark discussed the cooling tower system and the project. He mentioned that structures would be removed down to 3 feet below grade, that excavations would be restored to grade, and that demolition would occur in late September/early October. He also mentioned that the cooling tower debris would go to the Erie Landfill as sanitary waste and that the concrete removed by the Project would go to the B980 concrete debris pile for recycle. Mark also mentioned that the diesel UST was out of scope, and that a subcontractor would perform all work. Annette Primrose reviewed integration of the Project with the ER Program.
- Tom Scott distributed a characterization handout and discussed the Reconnaissance Level Characterization (RLC) results and the Pre-Demolition Survey (PDS) approach and schedule. Gerry Kelly and David Barnes discussed details for the Pre-demolition Survey. Attached photos of the structures were discussed, as well.
- Edd Kray asked for a copy of the previous RLC text for the 709 Cooling Tower (without appendix data), and Tom Scott committed to providing that to Edd.
- Edd Kray asked if the project would include conducting post-demolition surveys on demolition debris, similar to that being planned for the Building 776 Cooling Towers. He mentioned that the cooling tower included a lot of surface area and that the

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number of exterior measurements prescribed by the PDS Plan seemed low and may not be sufficient. Edd also mentioned that the receiving landfill would require definitive proof that the debris was not contaminated, and that some additional survey data could provide such proof.

- Tom Scott, with Mark Hickman's concurrence, committed to conducting post-demolition surveys of the cooling tower debris.
- Richard Bloom mentioned that the 707 Decommissioning Operations Plan was being modified and that modification could include changing the facility classification from a Type 2 to a Type 1. Tom Scott discussed this change based upon prior RLC data previously gathered for sediments/soil and our current soil action levels. Edd Kray approved this change.

No issues or concerns were identified. The Project can proceed ahead as scheduled..

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.